WILL REMAIN AS NOW.

NO CHANGE IN CONDUCT OF CEME-TERY AND ALMSHOUSE.

OTHER ITEMS FROM MANCHESTER.

Work of the Relief Association Suspended for the Present-Mr. Falson Held Up and Robbed-Court News-Feneral-Personals and Briefs.

The joint asssion of the Council Committees on Cemeterles and Almshouses as held in the Council chamber last coing at 7:30 o'clock. There were presently on account of the sickness and then death of their hogs. These animals then death of their hogs. These animals were. vening at 7:30 c'clock. There were presnt Messrs, W. T. Hart (chairman), J. R. reen, Matthew Morton, R. L. Patram, Nelson, and C. H. Sims. The meetng was called to consider these proas of the report of the Committee on chment which directly affected the city cemetery and almshouse. These sugsestions from the Retrenchment Commitwere as follows:

That a superintendent of the almsso be elected, who shall have no connection with the cemetery, at a salary not to exceed \$12.50 per month, with board; that the Superintendent of Almshouse hall be required to provide food for the imaies of the almshouse on the premises, at of supplies furnished by the city; that if No. 2 shall not be accepted by the Counthat the support of inmates shall be et out by contract; that the City Physisor outside of the almshouse, be fixed after a pleasant stay.

Misses Flora and Mattle Hatcher are

The session was a harmonious one, and th one dissenting vote the joint commuse decided to recommend to the Council hat the suggestions made by the Commitwe on Retronchment be rejected and that It was further recommended hat the clause referring to the duties of the City Physician be submitted to the committee on Poor with power to act. The session was then adjourned.

Among other Council committees which are affected and which will meet before the session of the Council on Friday evening are the Fire Commissioners, the Finance, and the Building and Land com-

WHAT HAS BEEN DONE.

The city's relief station for the poor, which has been opened daily for nearly a month, where food and clothing and fuel have been given out to the poor needing and deserving these bare necessities, closed yesterday. This was not done be-cause there was none to give, but the Executive Committee of the Relief Association were assured that all those who were really in need had been tided over the winter's worst, and, new on their feet, could help themselves. Since the association was organized a month ago. been received in the way of food and clothing from individuals, the committee has expended \$55 for groceries. Two carcommittee's disposal-one by the Southern Railway Company and one by the Chesa-peake and Ohio-and two car-loads of wood-one purchased and the other do nated-have also been given out. The coal and wood will still be apportioned where needed. In all more than a hundred families have been helped, many daily and some from time to time. MR. FAISON ASSAULTED AND ROB-

Mr. James Falson, of this city, was the unlucky victim of a dead-in-earnest hold-up Tuesday night on his return home from work in Richmond.

Mr. Falson is complexed as cardinages.

Mr. Faison is employed as car-inspec-tor on the tracks of the James-River Railway Company, and was returning from the other side for the night, when the assault came near the corner of Railroad and Ninth streets. As he ap-Railway Company, and was returning to seeing such gatherings on the streets surprised on getting opposite the men to hear the command to halt. Before he had decided whether to be obedient er not a quick blow knocked him down. his only means of protection. A height, new platel, which he had bought to use in such a case of emergency, was the is growing in interest. apon Mr. Falson drew from his pocket he made an attempt to get on his Rev. Dr. Hatcher, of Grace-Street Baptist fect. The weapon was taken from the churca, preached a powerful sermon on anfortunate man as quickly as he had "Sin." He told of many touching incipalled it from his pocket. He was thus dents which had come under his observator the helpless in the hands of four foot. eri helpless in the hands of four foot-tion. One was the embezziement of the sale, who searched his pockets, and bank clerk in Petersburg, whose case he obbed him of a gold watch, but found used as an illustration, saying that he no money. Mr. Faison had 5 cents in had baptized him and took a great interest

his pocket, and he says the only reason his assailants didn't get that was because they could not find it.

The police will spare no effort to bring these bold fellows to judgment, but their success is well-nigh hopeless, as there is no clue, and the gentleman would hardly recognize his assailants were he even to see them again.

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Bgain.

KOMIKAL KOMBINATION TO-NIGHT.

Ye Kute Komikal Kombination Konert Klub has entered into an agreetaking on new interest, Rev. Mr. Boggs, who was a Confederate soldier and chaplain in the late war, conducted the services. He took as his text, "Whosoever confesseth me before man, him will I also confess before my Father in Heaven." Mr. Boggs told his hearers what that text meant, and many stood for prayer. The meeting will continue during this wack sort Klub has entered into an agree-ment to make everybody laugh until his wides ache who comes to Leader Hall this evening at 8 o'clock. The manage-ment is under the direction of Mr. Obeh Perkins, who, in a private letter a friend, writes something like this; am very much tune stricken; and meeting will continue during this week. ye hard tymes starin' me ace, with all yese growne up darters to upport, not one of 'em married-so I truck onto this plan of givin' konserts-

father agrees to present is as follows:
Ye 1 Pease—"Come Where the Lilles
Bloom," by the Misses Reddy, Hill,
and Messrs, Hill and Barker.
Ye 2 December 2 Complete Co

Ye 2 Pease-Roll-call, exercises, rounds, &c.; address by Professor Perkins, Ye 3 Pease-Old-fashioned "Stage-Couch," by all Ye Klass.

4 Pease-Two visiting friends will There were no accidents, and the run, a two-part song. which lasted for about two hours, was

sing a two-part song.
Ye 5 Pease—Gracis Ye Kute will warble.
Ye 6 Pease—Mr. Parsons and Laura
Ann Spankler will sing a two-part pease,
whych is called "Dost Theu Love Me, Sister Ruth?"

Ye & Pease-Mr. Larkins will sing, and all ye menne folk and womenne folk Confederate souvenir. We wish to no-

Ye 9 Peane—Solo by Mrs. M. B. Ramos,
"But Then, What Could I De?"

A recess of five minutes will at this time be allowed, in whych Ye Mayden singers may chew some Liemon drops. Ye Menne singers will not be allowed any

d any S. Field, of Church Hill, were united mever. In marriage at Epiphany Episcopal church, Washington, on Tuesday at noon, ibank. It was not a case of elopement, but one in which the bride and her parents and the groom agreed that the wedding a " Ye 11 Pease—Bass solo, by Mr. Eubank. Ye 12 Pease—Duet, a two-part pease, y Melindy Hopkins and Mercy Van-

"Aunt Dinah's Quilting Bee." Ye 13 Pease-Grandma's advice, by frs. Professor Obediah Perkins, Ye 14 Pease—Cousin Jedadiah, of Bos-

ton Town, chorus. 15 Peace-Two of Ye Maydens will

tell they've got a beaux.
Ye 16 Pease—Moonlight come again,
which is also a fore-cornered pease.
Ye 17 Pease—"Auld Lang Syne," will

be warbled. Brother Doolittle will The entertainment is given for the benefit of the Sewing Circle of Eain-bridge-Street church, and those who come will spend an evening of pleasure, please lyne the hyme.

FUNERAL OF MRS. HUGHES. The funeral of Mrs. Sarah D. Hughes, those death occurred at midnight Mon-Cay took place from the Central Metho- | with it So.

dist church yesterday afternoon at 3

W. W. Lear conducted the services, and was assisted by Rev. Dr. L. R. Thornhill, of the Bainbridge-Street Baptist church. The intermen, was Baptist church. The interment made in Maury Cemetery.

The pail-bearers were Judge William I. Clopton and Messis. G. A. Carr, John O'Brien, W. D. Walker, W. H. Owens, S. Church, W. W. Walker, M. A. D. Church, W. W. Walker, and A. D.

freet Baptist church will have an

Ladies' Aid Society of the

nally, in Swansboro', on Thursday, March

city, Tuenday, that were owned by Mr Henry Lee Provost, Mr. W. A. Rice lost a lot a short time since. The dis-

ease is unlike the choiers, and the farmers have been unable to find a remedy.

PERSONALS AND BRIEFS.

orning for Washington.

home by sickness.

returned home yesterday.

ANOTHER BOLD HOLD-UP.

This Time the Victim Is Mr. Horner

G. Mende. Hold-ups, and bona-fide hold-ups, at

that, appear to be occurring with some frequency in Richmond now, and the

Meade family seem to have been marked

by the bold, bad bandits as their vic-

No. 706 east Leigh street, was held up. The latest victim is only 15 years of

age, and is a student at the Virginia

home from school about 8:30 o'clock, and just as he arrived opposite the alley on Sixth street between Grace and Franklin, a stout man, whose face was partially concealed by a cap, sprang

his possession. Breaking from the man's grasp. Mr. Meade run rapidly to-ward Grace street, and his assailant gave chase. When the corner was reach-

ed, the fellow, fearing to enter the circle

up the pursuit, and slunk back into the shadow.

Angle, who turned it over to its owner.

The revival at the Fulton Baptist church

The Deep-Run Hunt Club met at the

joyed a splendid afternoon's sport. There were eighteen members in the field, four of whom were ladies.

The drag had been laid from the club through Captain Hancock's property, round by Dumbarton and back to the starting point. The run covered a distance of about nine miles, and the country was fairly even but the

tance of about nine miles, and the carry was fairly even, but the going was particularly hard in the lowlands, where the effects of the recent rains were still very evident, and the ground very heavy.

The Last of Our Lost Cause.

Cox Primers for the little ones, we will

which to secure them is very limited.

Married in the National Capital.

returned home, and received the con-

He Is Not a Member.

Through inadvertence the name of Mr.

W. A. Price was printed yesterday as a

You can't make a new arm with Salva-

tion Oil, but you can cure the brulses

gratulations of their many friends.

As we are now running the Palmer

matter, but have very little to work

of light shed by the

Some nights ago Mr. Richard H.

seizing him by the collar and

Mr. Linwood Latham left yesterday

Mr. A. Royall returned yesterday morn-

Marcus A. Cogbill, Clerk of Ches-

ing from a trip to Powhatan Courthouse.

TO THE CAPITAL CITY.

MILITARY AND CIVILIANS LEAVE FOR THE INAUGURATION.

t. Owens, Gillis Williamson, and A. D. A Third Regiment Company Goes-Mrs. Haight, on upper Holl street, Some Doubt as to Who Will Command the Virginia Militia in the The "Jonnie" Juniors of Washing-End Methodist church will give a silver ten at the residence of Mrs. S. C. Nun-

> The provisional battallon of the First Regiment, under command of Captain Frank Conningham, left last night by the Chesapeake and Ohio special for Washington, to attend the inauguration ceremonies and take part in the great procession.

get puny and become gradually worse, and nothing that the owners can do for them will benefit them, and they gradually die. A number of them died on the farm of Mr. Thomas Pettigrew, near the The battalien is 110 strong, and is made jutant for the occasion. Sergeant J. P. battallon will leave Washington on the A telegram yesterday announced that quarters had been secured by the committee, which left for that purpose on Mon-

terfield county, was in the city yesterday, Captain A. C. Attkisson, the Common-wealth's Attorney, is still detained at ANOTHER VIRGINIA COMPANY. Company C. of the Third Regiment, Vir-Miss Nannie Shelton, who has been ginia visiting her aunt, Mrs. D. L. Pulliam, on Porter airest, has returned to her home, ment of this fact came as a surprise to Adjutant-General Anderson, as no applivisiting the home of Dr. G. W. Friend, on Porter street. Messrs, John Fink and J. R. Rosen-thal, both of Baltimore, Md., were in the city on business Tuesday. Mr. John Burke, who has been sick at his home, in Swansboro, is worse.

State. No troops are supposed to move out of the State without the permission of the commander-in-chief. It is understood that the detachment from the Third Regiment is not a large

his home, in Swansboro', is worse.

The regular monthly meeting of the
Finance Committee of Bainbridge-Street

In is with the Richmond battalion. Cap-Finance Committee of Bainbridge-Street line is with the Richmond battation. Cap-church will be held Saturday night at 8 permission of the Governor for the bat o'clock in the lecture-room.

Miss Maggie Friend and Mrs. Mattle
Cornwall, of Henrico, who have been
stopping with Dr. G. W Friend's family, nauguration, and with orders from Colonel Roller is, of course, Captain Cunningham's senior, and has been instrumental in having the Virginia militia Thomas Burfoot, a young negro man, was before the Mayor's Court yesterday morning, charged with throwing rocks on placed together in the line.

school Tuesday morning, when the smallest was hit with a rock, thrown by Burfoot. The Mayor assessed him \$1 towards paving Hull street. railway systems which connect Richmond with Washington. This number does not include tickets available only on the two specials. The Chesapeake and Ohio train last night was crowded. The Richmond. Fredericksburg, and Potomac train, which leaves this morning at 6 o'clock, will also

The Richmond hotels have benefited to small extent during the past few days city a halting place on their way to Wash-

Very few Federal, State, or city officials Meade was waylaid on Franklin street about 9 o'clock, and Tuesday night his first cousin, Mr. Horner G. Meade, of Council will leave to-day, and on account Council will leave to-day, and on account of their Seence the meetings of the Committees on Grounds and Buildings and Retrenchment and Reform have been

The local Republican leaders are already in Washington, and both Judge Waddill and Mr. Allan have received special invitations to attend the inauguration ball with their families. Among the prominent With their families. Among the prominent Republicans who left on last night's train over the Chesspeake and Ohio road were Messrs. D. Roach, H. Strong, S. W. Bolton, B. F. Camp, and George Talley, Colonel James D. Brady is in Florida for the benefit of his health, and therefore will not be in Washington. not be in Washington

What promises to be one of the best tractions yet given by the Young Men's s, Frank J. Corbett, Harry F. Dean, The police have been investigating the as young Meade is not certain whether his assailant was a negro or white man. to be had at the general office one of their superior excellency; "Frankfort, Ky., February 16, 1897.

"Southern Lyceum Phireau, Louisville papers making an announcement of the New York Male Quartette, but have delayed writing you in regard to the same to the State convention. I wish to however, that the New York Male say, however, that the New York state Quartette gave us the best entertain-ment that we have had yet on our course, and the large audience that greeted them were reluctant to let them close the prothink they will rank with any quartett the road, as far as their quartette usic is concerned; and Miss Nichols mply captivated the audience. I am sure that they will draw well here next year, and will recommend that they be ed on our course for the season of

success on their southern tour, and thank-ing you for placing them with us, I re-main, yours truly, B. B. WILCOX, "General Secretary," This is the only male quartette that has appeared on the course this season, and it is certain that those who hear it will

as heretofore, greatly pleased Death of Captain Montgomery. Captain George W. Montgomery died at the residence of his brother, Mr. John T. Montgomery, No. 191 north Twenty, sixth street, yesterday at 1:30 o'clock Capiain Montgomery was in his 49th year, and until the time of his last finess lived in Warwick county. About three weeks ago, in very bad health, he came to Richmond for treatment. Medical aid ral days before the end came he sank rapidly. A message was wired to his Warwick home, and Monday his wife came to his side. He leaves to mourn

their loss a wife and babe 5 months of Confederate souvenir. We wish to no-tify our subscribers that the time in terred in the family section.

Rev. Mr. Morehead's Call.

Rev. John Morehead pastor of the First English Lutheran church, has up to the present received no official noti-fication of his call to the Collegiate church, in Salem. Mr. Morehead said last night that, before he could give any Mr. W. T. Smith and Miss Edna D. Field, the charming daughter of Mr. G. definite answer as to whether he would or would not accept the call, it would be necessary for him to know the purport and the groom agreed that the wedding should take place as it did.

Mr. Smith is a popular young businessman of this city, having for a long while been with Mr. J. W. Salomon, in the grocery business. He and his bride have returned bonn, and respired the of it, and to consult the Missio Board, under whose jurisdiction the Rich-

mond church now is.

Mr. Morehead said he should be very sorry to leave Richmond, and, should be decide to do so, he will meet with great opposition from his present flock, who are very vigorous in their protests against his acceptance of the call.

Mu Sigma Rho's Public Debate, The annual public debate of the Mu Sigma Rho Society of the college w'll take place in the College Hall to-morrow evening, beginning at 8 o'clock. The question for discussion is: "Resolved. That the government should own and control all its railroad systems." The handling of this pithy problem devolves upon Messrs. Oscar L. Owens and

To Cure a Cold in One Day

George N. Skipwith, for the affirmative, and Messrs. Herbert L. Norfleet and J. Alfred Garrett, for the negative Others who will take part in the exercises are: Messrs. B. Mercer Hartman, president; Walter S. McNeill, reader, and Ernest Offennen declarer.

O'Bannon, declaimer, The arrangements for the debate are The arrangements for the actions; in charge of a committee, as follows; Messra. Montle L. Rea, chairman; Al-MANY VIRGINIANS WILL BE THERE. Willingham, Thomas B. Moder T. Willingham.

A SOUTHERN MUSICAL CLUB.

ton May Visit Richmond Shortly. Washington, D. C., has been noted for everal years for its remarkably success ful amateur opera companies, and it is a gratifying pleasure to the southern people to know that a new mask and wis club, the "Jonnie Juniors," has eclipse all performances of the kind heretofor given. In the opera "Mikado" these south all performances of the kind heretofore given. In the opera "Mikado" these southern boys, encouraged by the presence of Mrs. Cleveland, scores of ladies prominent in Cabinet, Senate, and congressional circles, the ex-Queen of Hawali, and many other distinguished personages, fairly outdid themselves, with the result that plans are being laid to repeat the performance to meet the popular demand.

One of the original intentions of the club, if successful, was a trip to Nashville, at the time of the Confederate reunion, stopping at Richmond, and performing en route. So many requests from friends of the club hore have been forwarded to the officers of the "Jonnies" that there is every prospect of a trip to Richmond in March. A committee of four or five of the lady patronesses the latter part of this week, and finish the plans already started.

There is no opera that gives better opportunities for a laugh of this kind than "Mikado," and to see boys impersonate the three little "Jonnies" did, singing every note and acting out every idea, is simply surprising.

Should the plans not miscarry, the club will come down in a special train, accompanied by many of its distinguished Washington patronesses.

Friends of the Home.

The Board of Managers and Superintendent Lindsay, of the Richmond Industrial Home, desire to return their thanks to the following friends for substantial assistance during the last month:
Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac
railroad, Richmond Milk Dairy, J. S.
Munce, Mrs. Moesta's Bakery, Mr. W. F.
Drinkard's Bakery, Mr. Nolde's Bakery,
Briggs's Bakery, Broom's Bakery,
New York Bakery, Broom's Bakery,
drugs from Drs. Frazier, Nelson, Lattimore, and Brair; Tom Myrtle, A. E.
Johnson, Mr. Schwarts, Woodson & Anderson Bakery, Mrs. Nagle, Gill's Bakery,
R. C. Cavedo, A. Schmidt, T. Gogan, Dr.
W. W. Scott, E. Donohoe, Dr. W. H.
Scott, J. F. Grady, T. H. Peace, T. A.
Martin, T. J. Enright, A. Feitig, J. Doc.
Sears, Mrs. Keller, W. Heckler, Mrs. stantial assistance during the last month Sears, Mrs. Keller, W. Heckler, Mrs. Kirsh, F. Coulter, Mrs. A. McKinley, W. Fergusson, Charles Decker, W. A. Lambert, Myer Kirsh, M. Briel, F. Fairlamb Jacob Keck, Brauer & Son, E. Shumaker Eichel & Son, Charles Fromer, Eugene Brauer, A. B. Bryant, W. J. Brauer, C. Kastleburg, J. Acree, H. C. Hechler, William Brauer, J. Brauer, E. E. Schmidt, E. A. Acree, F. Helfort, F. P. Fletcher, Timberiake & Co., D. D. Pleasants, S. P. Flournoy, M. Martin, C. Ungar, J. N Birch, O. B. Norman, J. Gentry, J. Light foot, Joe Charity, R. Glass, Gillio's Eakery, D. O'Sullivan, V. Hechler, J. W. Phillips, W. A. Smith, M. E. Marcuse, D. C. Parker, John Caffee, Woodson & D. C. Parker, John Caffee, Woodson & Brown, Mrs. Mann, M. Bosquette, H. Berger, R. L. Chappell, W. Hine, Edgar Shine, Coleman & Brothers, H. Ruff, C. Lumschad, Thompson & Benson, Stout & Co., J. Billey, M. F. Burton, W. H. Gor-don, W. A. Kelley, W. F. Clark, J. Mc-Graw, W. Tatum, Herman Sohmidt, A. B. Clark, C. Manning, L. Barde, J. Hoods, Clark, C. Manning, J. Beale, J. Hoode Mrs. R. Lang, P. Blenner, J. J. Rankin Mrs. R. Lans. F. Bienner, J. J. Rahmin, J. McCurdy, A. J. Staude, Padgett, J. H. Wayne, R. R. Carter, W. C. Tyler, H. C. Jones, C. E. Saunders, S. Lee, W. W. Hewitt, Tom Lee, W. H. Busg, O. Staude, W. Talley, B. H. Blakey, G. Holzback, C. Gordon, Tiller & Tiller, Chapman & Lobraca Freshway & Morris R. Padgett, Johnson, Freshman & Morris, R. Padgett Bakery, Mr. Dunston, Herman Smoot, J. A. Vaughan, Singer's Bakery, F. W. Turner, W. B. Logan, P. A. Lowry, L. T. Marston, W. L. Dolley, J. L. Beveridge, man, N. J. Smith, Charley King, E. L. Eacho, P. Bagley, C. F. Reams, F. Garber, R. C. Burnett, Wingo, Elliott & Crump, Drewry & Hughes, Mr. Lithoge, and W. B. Watson.

Curlosities for the Museum. The museum of Richmond College has Mexico. These curios rested at the college from their long journey yesterday, and while the four boxes in which they are secured have not yet been opened, the list of what these caskets contain con-vinces the museum's curator, Dr. Charles H. Ryland, that they are a valuable and interesting collection. This collection has een made with a world of care and pains by Rev. Mr. McCormick from the best of the rare things that for centuries have een hidden away in this wonderland of the Montezumas. Mr. McCormick is a the Montezumas. Mr. McCormick is a missionary in Mexico from the Baptist Poreign Mission Board, and is a devoted dumnus of Richmond College.

Re-Elect Its Officers.

The Junior-Oakwood Memorial Asso ciation met in the brick school-room of St. John's church yesterday at 4:30 o'clock. The former officers of the Juniors were re-elected for the succeeding year, and routine business was trans-

Miss Bessie Wright is quite sick a

her home, on west Main street, Mr. H. L. Denoon and wife left yesterday for Washington to attend the in-

Messrs. Elljah Baker and Charles left Tuesday for Washington to attend the inauguration. Mrs. I. N. See and children, of New

York, are stopping at Mrs. W. E. Leidy's, No. 2609 east Marshall street. The monthly meeting of the Powhatau

the Indians will make big talks. The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Jones will take place at 10 o'clock this morning from her late residence, No. 313 Beverly street.

Mr. Benjamin H. Berry, Commissioner of Accounts, who has been seriously sick for some several weeks, has had a and is again confined to his home, No. 45 east Grace street.

Sunday, March 7th, at St. James Epis copal church, corner Fifth and Marshall, the Rev. Lucien L. Kinsolving, mis-sionary to Brazil, will make an address at 5 P. M. on the work of the mission Miss Mattle Seay, one of the most prominent and popular young ladies of the Apostolic church, died at her home, Tuesday night. Her funeral Il be held from the church at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Warde left yes. terday for Washington to attend the inaugural ceremonies, and before return-ing will visit New York and other northern cities, where she will be joined by her sister, Miss Corinne B. Sizer, of New Haven, Conn.

Governor's closest friends, has been here two days, working along this line. He is gratified at his success.

Cannon, one of the Populist minority, who deserted the crowd and joined the Emperor of Germany. The celebration will probably take the form of a "Commers." to be held on the evening of March 22d, at Sanger Hall.

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Cannon, one of the Populist minority, who deserted the crowd and joined the majority and the Governor last night, saw the handwriting on the wall. The question now is, whether the Governor will give the bolting Populists a single place.

Richmonders in New York. NEW YORK, March 3.—(Special.)—A. R. Yarbrough, Grund; P. H. Powers, Mariborough; J. Bates, L. F. Lyon, B. Lewis, St. Denis; C. Hutzler, Albert.

laxutive Bromo Quinine Tablets, ard. Druggists refund money if falls to cure



A Car-Load of Bicycles

will arrive here in a few days, to be sold quickly at lowest prices ever known for High-Grade

Wheels. Watch Our Advertisements

Hundreds and hundreds of extraordinary bargains in this great sale, showing the wonderful saving in all our Spot Cash Purchases of Manufacturers', Importers', and Retailers Stocks. The quotations in this advertisement cannot help interesting all those looking for extraordinary bargains in New Spring Dress Goods and the trustee sells us the entire Beautifully-Made Dress Waists

NOW READY. Four Special Lots,

12 1-2c., 25c., 5oc., \$1 yard Stock of Housefurnishings

Prices are almost half of what they usually are.

they usually are.

1,000 Window-Shades, complete IOC.
with all fixtures

2-yard-long Scotch Rugs, reversible 39c.
1,000 Smyrna Rugs, door size 33c.
3,700 yards Waverly Crepe Dra-7C.
pery, the best 12 1-2c, value, for 7C.
Yard-Wide Hemp Carpet 10c.
Seamless Heavy China Mattings, about
fifteen odd rolls, worth 17c. 10C.
a yard.
Swisa Tambour Curtain Muslins, 15 dir-

3,000 Yards Dress Ginghams of the celebrated Renfrew makebest of the 12c. Ginghams-are placed on sale yard-from a wholesaler's stock.

Fine quality Domet Flannel in Light Pink and Blue stripes and checks, 5c. a yard. Fast-Black Henrietta-Finished Sateons Fast-Black Henrietta-Finished Sateens, in short lengths, regular stock would cost 12 1-2c. a yard, in pleces for 5 1-2c. a yard, in pleces for 1 moorted Patterns of Fine Dimity, large and small designs, worth from 12 1-2 to 15c.; off pleces in remnants, for 5 7-8c. a yard.

Extra Large Pure Linen Knotted Fringe Dumask Towels, all White and Colored bordered, worth 25c., for 19c. each.

Satin Damask Full-Bleached Fringed Table-Covers for \$1.25 each.

Tallor-Made Suiting, in a great variety of colors and patterns, 12 1-2c. is the price elsewhere, here for \$7-8c. a yard.

Boys' Knee Pants.

They are ready for sale to-day.

Strictly All-Wool Cheviot Pants, 29C.

every size it to is years

Heavy Wool Cheviot Solid Black and

Blue Pants, sizes i to 125C. Blue Pants, sizes 1 25C.

years
Finest All-Wool Cheviot Pants, Light
and Dark colors, with patent
waistbands and hip - pock
50C. 125C. Fauntieroy Pants, for little boys, 3 to Syears, fanelly braided and 50C. buckles, all-wool cheviots.

Finest Corduroy Pants made, the equal of any you ever saw for \$1.2579C.

Mill Ends White Goods. Those pieces that are left after folding

Those pieces that are left after folding the goods in 24-yard pieces. These are laid aside at the mills until some enterprising merchant comes along and offers cash for them, without brands. This week there is to be a sale of such goods here, and you will do well to buy some of them. It means many a cent saved.

Mill-Ends of India Linons. You can pick 15, 12, 1-2, and 10c. qualities—64C.

Mill-Ends of Solid-Black India Linons, open-work and lace stripe, a yard for Mill-Ends of Corded White P. 67C.

Mill-Ends of Satin Plaid and Satin Sheer Muslin, 12, 1-2, 10, and 8c. qualities. You can pick the best 31C.

Mill-Ends of 5, 6, and 8c. India Li-27C.

Monsy, you can pick from for ... 28C.

Molnch-wide Apron Lawn ... 6, 1-4c.

40-inch-wide Apron Lawn ... 6, 1-4c.

40-inch-wide French Nainsook ... 25c.

Best English Long Cloth ... 8, 1-3c.

46-inch-wide French Nainsook ... 25c.

Best English Long Cloth ... 8, 1-3c.

46-inch-wide French Nainsook ... 25c.

Yard-Wide Genuine Linen Lawn ... 30c.

5,000 yards Fine Sheer White 64C.

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Choice ogc.

Challi Tea Gowns, \$1.99

Exquisitely made Challie Wrappers Black with colored flowers, Bolero style, edged with pleated satin ribbon, usually cost \$4.



Jackets, silk lined, 4 · yard skirts, lined completely, worth at least \$10, for \$4.98.

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Wonderful Collar Sales.

Only the lowest prices ever reached—an entire factory's surplus stock:
Ladies' Pure Linen Collars, every size,
12 to 14 1-2, usually costing 12 1-20,
for 3c, each.
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14 1-2 to 15 1-2, usually costing 8c,
for 2c, each.
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25c—2c, each.
Little Boys' Pure Linen Sailor Collars,
embroidery edge, usually costing 25c,
for 10c, each.

Julius Meyer's Sons' Big Dry Goods Store.

Stencils Were Obtained from the Baughman Company.

Blakey, G. Holzback, Chler & Tiller, Chapman & Miss Margum.

The person or persons who passed upon Mr. Stansbury, a meat dealer on Sixth ierg, Mrs. P. O'Neil, Cohen's Dueston, Herman Smoot, J. Singer's Bakery, F. W. Singer's Bakery, F. W. Logan, P. A. Lowry, L. Logan, P. A. Lowry, L. Logan, P. A. Lowry, L. Holley, J. L. Beveridge, F. A. Davis, Virginia Fish Holmes, W. Wasser-mith, Charley King, E. L. Siege, C. F. Reams, F. Garmett, Winge, Elliott, Elliott, A. Charley King, E. L. Siege, C. F. Reams, F. Garmett, Winge, Elliott, Elliot geant Alexander Tomlinson has acquired a good deal of outside information, He has learned that the man Holmes, arrested on Tuesday night by Officers Carson and Wiltshire, answers to the descriptions given of one of the parties to the raised money transaction. He has also ascertain ed that two men attempted to pass bill of a similar character and of a similar denomination upon a person on lower Franklin street, and upon A. Greentree. clothing dealer on Broad street, notes, however, were refused at both

these places.

When Sergeant Tomlinson started out upon this case yesterday morning he had but little hope of learning anything about the persons implicated in the raised-bill transaction. He soon learned that other United States notes of the same denomination had been offered here, and was but a short while-in locating as one of the persons implicated the man Holmes, who was to the Code Commission. This is announced to be on the ground of expense.

The Legislature to-day elected R. A. Cobb (Pritchard Populist), State Libration, all the Republicans and boiting Populists voting for him, straight Populists voting for E. A. Cole and Democrats for J. C. Ellington. The Legislature also elected D. H. Abbott (Republican). Railway Commissioner for six years, boiting Populistics. sons implicated the man Holmes, who was sons implicated the man Holmes, who was arrested as a suspicious character on Tuesday night. At the time that the police officers took in Holmes it is thought that his supposed confederate was on the opposite side of the street. It is now, nevertheless, feared that he is in Washington, to see President-elect McKinley inaugurated to-day.

Bit Off His Ear.

The ambulance, with Dr. Charles Lemon in charge, was called yesterday svening about 6:45 o'clock to the First-Police Station to attend William Cochran, who had lost his ear in a fight. William, and Fred. Cowell (both colored) were engaged in a little scrapping party in a saloon at Franklin and Seventeenth streets, when Fred. got William's ear between his teeth, and shut down. Fred. has something of the buildog about his nature, for he didn't let go till the ear did. The injured man was treated and left, while the fellow with a relish for souse was locked up in the First Station. souse was locked up in the First Station.

The Beginning of Lent. Ash Wednesday, the first day of Lent was duly observed in all the Catholic Episcopal, and Lutheran churches yes-

with special services. The day with the Catholics was a holy day of obligation, and all the mass were well attended. After the ear After the early sses the ashes were sprinkled Morning and evening services were held in the Episcopal churches, and evening services in the Lutheran churches.

RALFIGH'S GENERAL BUDGET. Governor Russell and the Bolters-No Extra Session.

RALEIGH, N. C., March 3 .- (Special.) Senator Grant, who is evidently at feud with Governor Russell, said recently that the Governor was or would be the head of the Populist party, James E. Boyd said of the Populist party. James E. Boyd said that North Carolina in the last campaign had three Populist nominees for Governor. The Republican prophecy that the majority Populists would become the Governor's supporters now comes true. The Governor ignores the minority, the bolters. W. H. Chadbourn, of Wilmington, one of the Governor's closest friends, has been here two days, working along this line. He is

place.
The Republicans and bolting Populists in the House have passed a bill so gerrymandering the Seventh District as to prevent any possibility of Shuford (Populist and supporter of Butler) being re-elected to Congress. Republicans and bolters swore in January they would crush Shuford for his opposition to Senator Pritchard.

NO EXTRA SESSION. Speaker Hileman says he thinks the Le-

HOW THE BILLS WERE RAISED, gistature will adjourn next Wednesday sine die. It is now reasonably sure there will be no extra session. Walter R. Heary will not be judge. He

Spanish Ruffle Underskirts of Colored Figured Black When Moires, made to sell for one dollar, closed out by us from a New York factory 50C.

Lieutenant-Governor Reynolds proposed or hinted at a plan for the Republicans to go in with the Democrats and divide the

State Institutions.

The Populist bolters met last night and named as their candidates, under terms of agreement with the Republican caucus: R. A. Cobb, for State Librarian; D. Reid Parker, Commissioner of Agriculture; Dr. W. R. Wood, Superintendent of Insane Asylum at Raleigh; J. Y. Hanerick, Commissioner of Labor Statistics.

The Republican caucus decided to defeat the Code Commission. This is announced to be on the ground of expense. State Institutions.

Commissioner for six years, boiling Populists and Republicans voting for him, white Democrats voted for E. C. Heddingfield, and straight Populists for John Gra-

A bill passed to amend the charter of New Berne by allowing the Governor to appoint an alderman for each ward, just appoint an alderman for each ward, just as is the case in Wilmington's new charter. A bill to establish a police commission for Goldsboro' was railroaded through the Senate by the Republicans and Boiters. A bill to exempt the Farmers' Mutual Fire-Insurance Company from all tax passed the Senate, and a bill to require all executions to take place in the penitentiary was tabled.

The revenue act passed the House, a section being included to tax each drummer doing business in this State \$50 and the section business in this State \$50 and the section being included to tax each drummer doing business in this State \$50 and the section being included to tax each drummer doing business in this State \$50 and the section being included to tax each drummer doing business in this State \$50 and taxed the section being in this State \$50 and taxed the section being in this state \$50 and taxed the section being in this state \$50 and taxed the section being in the section being

mer doing business in this State \$50 annually. A bill passed its final reading in the House appropriating \$100,000 annually direct to the public schools.

Two Marriages-Bishop's Visit-A Revival.

WILSON, N. C., March 3 .- (Special.)-Two of Wilson's popular young businessmen became Benedicts yesterday. Mr. C. W. Gold, editor of the Wilson Times, led to the altar, at Conston, Edgecombe coun-

ty, Miss Eila Howard, of that place.
At 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon Mr. H.
F. Jones, superintendent of the telephone
service here, was united in marriage to
Miss Estelle Brodie, at the home of the bride's mother, in this place. The happy couple drove through the country after ceremony to the home of Dr. Mercer, where a reception was tendered them.
Bishop Cheskill made his annual visitation here to-day and preached in St.
Timothy's church to-night. After the sermon a class of six or seven was confirmed.

An unusual interest is being manifested in the revival services going on at the Disciples church here. Large crowds attend and eagerly listen to the sermons preached by Rev. D. H. Petree, of Kinston. Thirteen persons have united with

THE NEW ORLEANS CARNIVAL. Its Duration This Year Was Three Weeks-Eleven Grand Balls.

(New York Tribune.) This year the New Orleans carnival, which hitherto had occupied but three days, was extended to three weeks. It is claimed that it began—as begins the carnival in Italian cities—with January 6th, when the Twelfth-Night Revellers gave their chrysanthemum ball and selected as a presiding queen Miss Lydia Winship, with Miss Behu, Miss West, and Miss Edith Buckner as her mada of honor.

No more carnival festivities, however, took place until February 12th, when the Society of Consus—so named from the Roman god who introduced women into Rome—gave its ball, representing the famous Sherwood Forest, with the maskers in Lincoln green. It selected as a queen one of the most beautiful young women in the city, Miss Stella Demornole, of one of the oldest creek families in New Ordays, was extended to three weeks

leans. She was attended by seven maids of honor—Miss Dessommes, Miss Lallande, Miss Forstall, Miss Follock, Miss diffen, Miss Dymond, and Miss Mangum.

The souvenirs of this ball were gold hunting horns, bows, and arrows. Each masker must present the lady whom he has called out for the dance with a souvenir.

in lilies wrought of pears, with here and there a sunburst of diamonds. The maskers appeared as tritons, sea gods, and monsters. The procession was led by the giant kraken, a sea monster 50 feet long, which was composed of fifteen men concealed under the scaly skin.

The first week of the carnival was closed by the ball of the Elves of Oberon. This brought out loreleis, sylvan deitles, and an Undine, standing in the hollow of an oak, with an iridescent waterfall playing over her. The chosen queen was alled the standing in the conservation of the control of the carnival was ushered in by the ball of the Aliantian on February 23d. Here the elements were poetically represented, with their several inhabiting spirits, nymphs, sylphs, and salamanders. Each was portrayed in appropriate settings of subterancan caves, fleecy-clouded sites, lakes, and forked flames. The shifting scenes, light and colors, made a wondrous panoramic spectacle, over which Miss Amalie Bahu was chosen to provide, with Miss Denis, Miss Eustis, and Miss Payne as her attendants.

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The second carnival week ended on Pebruary 28th with the balls of Momus and the "Funny Fellows." The priests of Momus picturesquely illustrated the Arabian Nights story of Prince Ahmet and the Fairy Banou. Miss Louise Joubert, another dark-eyed creele belie, was crowned queen of beauty, and selected as her maids of honor Miss Lebault and Miss Payne. The presiding genius chosen by the "Funny Fellows" was Miss Clara. Vatter, whose attendants were the Misses Menaricy and Miss McEnany.

The first days of the third week of the carnival are given up to parades, processions, and balls. On Monday the Crew of Proteus appeared in a magnificent street parade and pageant of tableaux upon floats. At night the crew gave a grant ball in the Opera-House. On Tuesday came the culmination of the carnival, Rex. king of the carnival, with fortigrency Fellows" and many other societies, paraded the streets in the morning. At night came the georgeous street pageant of the famous Mystic Crew of Comus, the oldest and grandest of the carnival societies, terminating in the largest ball of the festival, when all the eleven queens chosen by the different societies at their previous balls appeared with their attendants and kings.

These carnival balls are important features of the New Orleans Mardi Gras. The ball is always introduced by beautiful tableaux, then the maskers in costuma march out—two or three hundred in number—and select the queen and maids of honor, after which each calls out a partner from among the fair spectators, and a ball begins which lasts until 2 or o'clock in the morning.

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No young lady has ever declined the crown and sceptre of a carnival queen. It is regarded as the highest social honor that can be accorded to a girl in New Orleans. It gives her the right to a place of honor at all subsequent balls and feativals. At least one of the queens of the carnival and several attendants must be chosen outside of the city of New Orleans, among the young ladies of high social position in other States. Also, a proportion of invitations is reserved for visitors. The cost of the carnival to the city is estimated at about \$25.05, but much of this is returned by the amounts spent by the large crowds attracted to the city during the gala occasion.

MARINE INTELLEGENCE MINIATURE ALMANAC, MARCH 4, 1897.

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